

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Small Entity)**

Docket No.

In Re Application Of:

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Serial No.

09/429,939

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Examiner

Prunner, K.

Group Art Unit

3751

Invention: **WATER FREEZE CONTROL FOR HOT TUB SPA**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 10/10/2003 in the above-identified application.

Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month☐ Two months☐ Three months☐ Four months☐ Five months

from:

04/07/2004 \*

until:

04/10/2004

Date

Date

\* measured From  
date of Advisory Action

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

☐ is enclosed.☐ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is \$55 and is to be paid as follows:

☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 200678

☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 200678

Dated: 04/08/2004

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